



# MONTGOMERIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Newsletter 14

Week beginning 12<sup>th</sup> December 2022

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### EVERY SECOND COUNTS

Respectful. Resilient. Resourceful. Reflective. Responsible. Ready.

## IN THE NEWS

### Christmas Around the World

A huge thank you for coming to support our event on Wednesday; despite the cold weather, I think that you will agree the children did remarkably well and I hope that you enjoyed learning about Christmas traditions from around the world. Donations so far have amounted to £178.00 and we will have the buckets out again at the EYFS Nativity on Tuesday so please bring in some change for that! We will be giving half the money raised to Shelter – a charity that ensures homeless people have warm food to eat and a roof over their head.

### Busy Week Ahead

Despite only having two days left at school for the Autumn Term, it is going to be busy! The children will hopefully clock up some more miles towards the Santa Run, Santa will be visiting on Monday, class Christmas parties are on Monday too, the children will be watching The Royals doing their dress rehearsal for their Nativity and on Tuesday the Nativity will be performed to parents. It will be a fun couple of days in school!

### Christmas Cards/Gifts

Thank you to all the parents/carers who purchased the Christmas cards and gifts that the children designed. A total of £167 was raised for the school and will be spent on art related materials.

*All the staff at Montgomery wish you all a very merry Christmas and here's hoping for a happy and healthy 2023! We look forward to welcoming you back to school on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2023.*



## CELEBRATE



Montgomery Mentions: Charlie, Freddie, Henry, Lily, Thomas, Eric, Mila, Florence, Leighla, Teddie, Mia C, Jaxson-Lee, Mason L, Freddie, Israel, Luther King Class

## ATTENDANCE

The national expectation for attendance is 96%. The government has clarified the position regarding the term 'regular' attendance. It means children must be in school **EVERY DAY**. Every second counts at Montgomery. We **must** work together to improve attendance and punctuality even more.

The Royals Class	86.91%	Below national
Peacock Class	93.33%	Below national
Curie Class	91.67%	Below national
Attenborough Class	85.00%	Below national
Barnardo Class	92.33%	Below national
Branson Class	87.59%	Below national
Luther King Class	88.00%	Below national
Whole School this Week	89.43%	Below national
Whole School to Date	93.06%	Below national

